

## Port Macquarie Band & Strings Tour

Dear Parents,

A tour has been organised for the members of the **Senior Concert Bands 1 & 2, Stage Band and Strings (all from Years 5 and 6 only)** to visit, play and conduct workshops in the area of Port Macquarie, NSW in week 10 of Term 3, 2018.

**When:** Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> September (arrive at school promptly at 6:00am) – Thursday 27 September, 2018 (return 4:30pm)

**Cost:** The cost will be in the range of \$390 to \$435 per student depending on the number attending – this includes bus travel, accommodation and all meals except morning tea & lunch first day.

**Travel:** Travel will be by seat belt equipped coaches; seatbelts must be worn at all times – Baxters Coaches.

**Accommodation:** Francis Retreat, Bonny Hills NSW

**Supervising Teachers:** Mrs Luscombe and Mrs Keating

**Supervising Band/Strings Conductors:** Mr Peter Blyth, Mr Tim Ferrier and Ms Katrina Papallo

At least two parents will also be attending.

**Activities:** Visit to Billabong Zoo

Please see attached sheet for what to bring and other important information.

Mrs Robbins and Mrs F. Johnson

Karen Hopkins

Tanya Rose

Band / String Liaison

Band / Strings Tour Coordinator

Principal

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM to the BAND BOX at the front office BY Friday 3 August, 2018

I consent to my child \_\_\_\_\_, of class \_\_\_\_\_, participating in the Port Macquarie Band Strings Tour, Tuesday 25 September – Thursday 27 September, 2018.

Payment Terms

OR  My child **is not** attending the 2018 Band & Strings Tour

Payment Terms

I have made a direct deposit of \$200 (by Friday 3 August) and understand that the balance of \$190 to \$235 needs to be **finalised by Wednesday 29 August, 2018.**

An invoice for the deposit of \$200 will be emailed to you through our school Bytes system. Please use the link in the email to pay the deposit online via Westpac. A further invoice will be emailed once final numbers and cost is confirmed.

Signature of Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

